

REMARKS

Claims 1-8 which were allowed in the parent of the present application have been cancelled.

Claim 9 which depended from cancelled Claim 8 has been rewritten in independent form.

New Claim 11 is directed to a polyurethane produced from a polyol produced by the process of cancelled Claim 7. Support for new Claim 11 is found at page 3, line 30 through page 4, line 3 of the specification.

New Claim 12 is directed to a poly(ether-carbonate) polyol produced by the process of Claim 9 in which step a) is carried out before step b). Support for this claim is found at page 5, lines 4-9 of the specification.

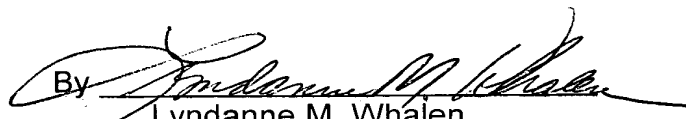
New Claim 13 is directed to a poly(ether-carbonate) polyol produced by the process of Claim 9 in which step b) is carried out before step a). Support for this claim is found at page 4, line 29 through page 5, line 2 of the specification.

New Claim 14 is directed to a poly(ether-carbonate) polyol produced by the process of Claim 9 in which steps a) and b) are carried out simultaneously. Support for this claim is found at page 4, lines 21-27 of the specification.

It is believed that the amendments made herein place this case in better form for examination.

An action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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